

Dropped Clamp Keeps Duct Dry



If your M992A2 ammo carrier has a Hatz 2G40 auxiliary power unit (APU), chances are it also has a water problem.

Rain and wash water get into the air duct through the inlet duct. Since the hose is clamped on both ends, the water sits there until the reinforcement wire inside the hose rusts.

Pretty soon, the APU starts overheating because it's pulling hot air through holes in the hose instead of the cooler air it needs from outside.

Stop this damage by removing the hose clamp, NSN 4730-00-908-6293, on the APU side of the air inlet duct. With the clamp gone, any water that gets inside will drain away before rust can set in.

The duct hose is compressed tightly between the APU and inlet duct, so it'll stay in place even without the clamp.

